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A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to fees charged for personalized special motor
2 vehicle registration plates associated with military service.
3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:
4 TLSB 1451HH 82
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1 1 Section 1. Section 321.34, Code 2007, is amended by adding
1 2 the following new subsection:
1 3 NEW SUBSECTION. 12B. PERSONALIZED REGISTRATION PLATES ==
1 4 ARMED FORCES SERVICES. Notwithstanding any other provision of
1 5 law, the department shall waive the personalized plate
1 6 registration fees for issuance and renewal of any type of
1 7 personalized special registration plate associated with
1 8 service in the United States armed forces for an applicant who
1 9 is qualified to receive the special plate, provided that a
1 10 personalized version of the special plate is available under
1 11 this section. Personalized special registration plates issued
1 12 under this subsection are subject to the special plate
1 13 issuance and renewal fees and the regular annual registration
1 14 fees otherwise applicable under this section.

1 15 EXPLANATION

1 16 This bill requires the department of transportation to
1 17 waive the fees charged for personalization of special motor
1 18 vehicle registration plates associated with service in the
1 19 United States armed forces. The fees to be waived include the
1 20 \$25 fee charged for issuance and the \$5 fee charged for annual
1 21 validation of personalized plates. Current fees that are
1 22 required for issuance and renewal of the special plates and
1 23 regular motor vehicle registration fees would continue to
1 24 apply.

1 25 The following special registration plates are associated
1 26 with service in the United States armed forces and are
1 27 available as personalized plates: national guard plates,
1 28 Pearl Harbor plates, purple heart plates, United States armed
1 29 forces retired plates, silver or bronze star plates, and
1 30 veteran plates.

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